

December 8, 2014

Mr. Jay Rao DCOR 290 Maple Ct., Suite 290 Ventura, CA 93003

Dear Mr. Rao:

We received a sample from Platforms Edith, Gina & Gilda that was to be tested with giant kelp, red abalone & topsmelt. The giant kelp & topsmelt tests were successful & passed. However, we were unable to get the abalone that we had secured, from 2 different sources, for this testing to spawn. Although this is not a common occurance, we do sometimes experience this situation. It is historically common this time of year as the ambient ocean temperatures rise the abalone become less gravid.

As I stated above, we make every effort to secure viable test organisms, in this case, from 2 different sources, to ensure successful test results.

At you earliest convenience, please let me know if you would like to reschedule this test and we will secure organisms accordingly.

Thank you for your understanding.

Sincerely,

Michael Machuzak Laboratory Manager